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FIREMEN'S WORK IN WOODS FIRE APPRECIATED

The Bethel fire department has received the following substantial message of appreciation of their work in fighting the fire near North Pond May 22. Mr. Bates, who is president of the L. C. Bates Company of New Haven, was at his summer home in the danger area at the time, so he realized the excellent work of the fire companies and volunteers.

New Haven, Conn.
June 4, 1941

Bethel Fire Department
Bethel, Maine
Gentlemen:

I want to express my appreciation of the work that the Bethel Fire Department did recently up in North Pond in putting out fires which apparently were incendiary.

If it had not been for the prompt assistance on your part and the Bryants Pond Fire Department plus the help of a good many men I think that the results would have been disastrous.

I am enclosing a check for \$25.00 which could be used in your relief work and in any other way that it should be used, in appreciation of the fine piece of work that you did.

Very truly yours,
Vernal W. Bates

KNIGHT—THURSTON

The marriage of Miss Christie Thurston of Bethel and Edwin R. Knight of Rumford Point took place Saturday afternoon at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Warren Palmer, pastor of the Norway Congregational Church.

The double ring ceremony was used and the attendants were Miss Mary Clough of Bethel and Roland Glines of Rumford Point.

The bride wore blue with white accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

Mrs. Knight is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Thurston and was graduated from Gould Academy in 1938. She attended Northeastern Business College in Portland and since then has been employed in the office of L. E. Davis.

Mr. Knight is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Knight of Rumford Point. He was graduated from Stephens High School, Rumford, and is employed by the Rumford Power and Light Company.

They will reside in Bethel.

"OUR FLAG" BOOKLETS OFFERED BY MARINE CORPS

In connection with the observance of "Flag Week," the Marine Corps Recruiting Headquarters in Augusta announces that it has received a stock of booklets about "Our Flag" for public distribution. This highly appropriate and timely publication is beautifully illustrated and contains the history of this country's flags, its traditions, rules for display, and the verses of the National Anthem.

It is highly recommended for educational and patriotic organizations. Each American home should have a copy. It will be furnished, free of charge, to all persons calling for it, or by mail by addressing the U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Station, City Hall, Augusta.

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11 BUILDINGS BURNED IN HANOVER FIRE

Four homes were razed in a fire in Hanover village Monday afternoon, carried by the heavy wind. The first building destroyed was one occupied by Mrs. Joel Merrill and owned by Vear Bean of Bethel, near the J. B. Roberts store. From this place the fire spread to Will Swan's barn, and thence to the homes of Webster Worcester, Burchard Russell, and the buildings owned by R. Brooks Stratton and occupied by John Babineau.

From this last residence the flames spread to the property of the Hanover Dowel Co. near the river, burning the old ferry house and three dry sheds with a considerable quantity of dowels which had been saved when the rest of the dowel mill property was burned in the fall of 1939.

Near the ferry house were the new unoccupied office of the road construction operations and the old office nearby, both of which burned quickly. The records in the older building were saved by State Engineer John Boyd, who forced an entrance.

Fire spread into the woods and caused some damage in the logging operations on the land formerly owned by the Hopkins estate, where Mr. Dickson of Rumford has put up a portable mill to saw the pine.

The small pumper of the Hanover fire company rendered excellent service in preventing further spread of the conflagration. The fire departments of Rumford, Bryant Pond and Bethel were called and were on duty for some time.

BETHEL MAN'S NEPHEW RECEIVES RHODES SCHOLARSHIP

Ellas S. Robinson of Bethel, now residing at 271 Salem St., Wakefield, Mass., has just received word that his nephew, Donald Robinson of Saint John, N. B., graduate of Mt. Allison and McGill Universities, has been awarded the Rhodes Scholarship, representing the Province of New Brunswick. This is one of the most coveted scholarships in the world. The scholar so honored receive \$1600 a year for three years to continue their studies.

GOULD TENNIS TEAM DEFEATS WILTON 8-1

Last Thursday the Gould Academy tennis team traveled to Wilton Academy where they easily defeated their up-state rivals 8-1. The team has shown great improvement this year as their last two matches have proven. Summary: Singles

Cram (W) defeated Townsend (G) 6-1, 6-1
St. Thomas (G) defeated Smiley (W) 6-3, 6-4
Bull (G) defeated Farnum (W) 6-1, 6-1
Blanchard (G) defeated Briggs (W) 6-3, 6-7
Ireland (G) defeated Knowles (W) 6-3, 6-1
Brown (G) defeated Melcher (W) 6-1, 6-4

Doubles
Blanchard and St. Thomas (G) defeated Rowe and Toothaker (W) 6-0, 6-1

Jenks and Bull (G) defeated Cram and Bleakney (W) 6-1, 6-2
Ireland and Brown (G) defeated Cole and Pease (W) 6-0, 6-0

Earlier in the week Gould traveled to Rumford for a return match after winning at Bethel 8-1. The lead by winning the only finished match however was rained out after the local boys had taken a 1-0 match before the rain came. Bud Ireland defeated Martin 6-2 6-3 and the rain halted play.

Mrs. Charles Freeman and infant son Mark Eldredge, returned home from Berlin Tuesday.

WOODSTOCK HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION HELD TUESDAY

There was a very large attendance at the Commencement exercises which were held at the gymnasium Tuesday, June 10. The program:

March
Invocation, Rev. James MacKillop
Orchestra
Salutatory, Kenneth Buck
Class Party, Class of 1941
Gifts, Richard Felt
Prophecy, Eleanor Stanley
Class Will, Abbott Twitchell
Orchestra
"Historian's Dream," Class of 1941
Orchestra
Valedictory, Stephen Chase
Presentation of Diplomas, Supt. William O. Bailey

Class Ode
Benediction

Class roll: Herbert Allen, Kenneth Buck, Velma Cummings, Stephen Chase, Richard Felt, Ardella Fuller, Helvi Koskela, Rosalia Palmer, Wayne Redman, Eleanor Stanley, Abbott Twitchell, Richard Vittum, Russell Yates.

Honors: Valedictory, Stephen Chase; Salutatory, Kenneth Buck; Honor Essay, Helvi Koskela.

18 BETHEL BOYS ATTEND CAMPOREE AT NORWAY

Fifteen Boy Scouts from Troop 165, Bethel, went to Norway last Friday afternoon, where they remained until Sunday attending the annual camporee of the Pine Tree Council.

The Bethel troop participated in the parade and were entered in the spring burning, chariot race and the fire by flint and steel contests.

Troop Committee-men Milo McAllister, Syl LeClair and Arthur Cutler arrived in camp Sunday forenoon and assisted in taking the tents down and packing them in the trucks.

The Sunday dinner of mashed potatoes and boiled ham was prepared by Milo McAllister and much enjoyed by the Scouts, Troop Committee, and Officers John Maguire and Stanley Haskell.

The boys returned home Sunday afternoon. While at the camporee the boys were in charge of Assistant Scoutmaster Irving Brown.

FOREST FIRE AT ALBANY

Fire broke out on the Lauri Immonen lot, opposite the Marshall school house in Albany, Monday afternoon, and burned over about 100 acres before it could be brought under control. The burned area was mostly slash, but several homes were endangered due to the high wind.

The fire departments from Bethel, North Waterford and Harrison were on duty and help came from the surrounding towns.

FAREWELL PARTY FOR MR. AND MRS. JOHN GAUDET

Several neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thurston Sunday evening for a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. John Gaudet, who left Tuesday morning for West Sullivan, where they will make their home with their daughter, Lola.

The evening was spent in sociability and singing, with Mrs. Laurence Lord and Mrs. Thurston at the piano. Elmer Bennett presented Mr. and Mrs. Gaudet with a sum of money. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

The Master Mason Degree will be conferred at the meeting of Bethel Lodge F & A M, this evening. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

Commencing June 11, this store will be closed Wednesday at 12 M. until further notice.

Bethel Feed & Grain Co.

MAN HELD—ADMITS SETTING WOODS FIRES

Gerald D. Huston of Woodstock pleaded guilty to setting a series of five woods fires near North Pond, in the vicinity of the Woodstock, Greenwood and Bethel town lines, on May 22. He was held in \$1,000 for action by the grand jury after arraignment in the Norway Municipal Court Saturday.

Huston was arrested following an investigation by Sheriff Francis and Investigator J. A. Flynn of the State Insurance Department.

GOULD LOSES TWO MORE

Fryeburg 10—Gould 5
Gould lost another league game to their Fryeburg rivals last Wednesday, 10-5. As has been the rule in the last several games, the locals couldn't do a thing until the opponents were several runs ahead and then found their task too difficult. Clough pitched well enough in his first start in the box and might have had more success with a little sharper backing in the field.

Gorham 10—Gould 7

The Gould "Huskies" met on another rather lifeless exhibition of baseball at Gorham Saturday. Not until the home team was 10 runs ahead did the locals offer a thing in the way of resistance. Here Crockett took over the mound duties and pitched surprisingly good ball to shut out the strong Gorham batters for the rest of the way. However, the lead was too much for the Gould team to overcome even though Gorham substitutes made several errors.

Amato crashed into a tree in left field while trying to capture a long fly and suffered a shaking up. However, he recovered sufficiently to remain in the line-up and make some nice catches. Adams, playing his first full game, led the team in batting and also showed promise as an outfielder.

LIONS CLUB ELECTS

A meeting of the Lions Club was held at Bethel Inn Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected: President, F. Edward Hancorn; first vice-president, Eugene Van Den Kerkhoven; second vice-president, William C. Chapman; third vice-president, Irving L. Carver; secretary and treasurer, Ralph Young; lion tamer, Howard Thurston; tall twister, Fred Merrill; directors for two years, Hugh D. Thurston and Herbert T. Wallace. It was voted to suspend the meetings until September.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Barbara Lyon of Portland is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Lyon.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbets and Mrs. Laurence Lord were at Heron Academy on Monday to attend the one hundred thirty-seventh annual commencement and Alumni Dinner.

Mrs. H. P. Austin, F. E. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Valentine, and Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Wallace attended the Oxford County Association of Congregational Churches annual meeting in Upton on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jordan entertained the Methodist Church choir Friday evening at their cottage at Songo Pond. Games swimming and boating were enjoyed and supper was cooked over the open fireplace on the shore. During the past year the weekly rehearsals of the choir under the leadership of Mrs. Mildred Lyon have been held with Mr. and Mrs. Jordan in town. The group was surprised Friday evening to find that Mr. Jordan had purchased a piano for the cottage so that rehearsals may be held there during the summer.

MANY FIRES IN STATE MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Driven by high winds uncontrolled fires destroyed woods and homes the first of the week with an estimated loss of half a million dollars. Some of the most disastrous fires were at Gardiner, where the lumber yard of the Kennebec Box and Lumber Co. was destroyed with a \$200,000 loss, and woods fires at Gray and Oxford where homes were threatened.

GRADUATION EXERCISES OF BETHEL GRAMMAR SCHOOL AT GYMNASIUM TONIGHT

The graduating exercises of the Bethel Grammar School will be held at the William Bingham Gymnasium this evening at 8 o'clock. The following program will be given: Processional March

Carl E. Wight, Marshal
March—"Honor Band"

Grammar School Band
Overture—"Song of the Rose,"

Grammar School Band
Invocation, Rev. H. T. Wallace

"We, Americans"—a patriotic play

Cast of Characters:
Narrator, Priscilla Carver

Johnny, a school boy,
Archie Young Jr.

Voices,
Members of Graduating Class

Trumpet Duet
Patsy O'Brien, John Cutler

Scene I—Landing of Columbus
"Landing of the Pilgrims"

Girls' and Boys' Glee Clubs
Scene II—Founding of the Thirteen Colonies

Clarinet Solo, "Yankee Doodle,"

Eugene Van Den Kerkhoven
Scenes III, IV and V—Signing of the Declaration of Independence, Battles of the Revolutionary War, Surrender of Cornwallis

Clarinet Solo, "Flower Song,"

Eugene Van Den Kerkhoven
Scene VI—Westward Expansion

Violin Solo, "Jeanie With the Light Brown Hair," Elizabeth Lowell

Scene VII—Abraham Lincoln
Speaks, Richard Bryant

"A Long Long Trail,"

Girls' and Boys' Glee Clubs
Scene VIII—World Wars

Scene IX—Finale
"Star Spangled Banner,"

Band and Audience
Presentation of Diplomas,

Carrie M. Wight, Sup.
Singing of Class Ode

Benediction, Rev. M. A. Gordon
Recessional March

Class roll: Corinne Gertrude Boyker, Barbara Eunice Browne, Richard Norris Bryant, Stella Buck Priscilla Jane Carver, Mary Lou Chapman, Harold Parker Conner, Patricia Wilma Daye, Howard Gilbert Inman, Katharine Virginia Kellogg, Lawrence Percy Kimball, Howard Francis Lapham, Charles Daniel Merrill, Patricia Frances O'Brien, Pauline May Philbrick, H. Fenton Robertson, Leah Arlene Spinney, Thelma Betty Warren, Helen Arlene Waterhouse, Archie Young Jr.

The heavy wind Monday afternoon broke a large limb from a tree in Wade Thurston's yard, bringing down wires so that the power was interrupted for several hours. Trees were blown onto the telephone lines in two places in Gilead the same day.

I have bought the Shoe and Harness repair business formerly operated by the late T. E. LaRue and solicit your patronage.

ROYAL A. HODSDON

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

MAKING PICTURE-STORIES



This shot is from our "baking biscuits" sequence—the best way in the world to tell a story in pictures.

PICTURE-TAKING is a lot more fun, for the subjects, if the pictures have a story to tell. At our house, we do it this way. First, I pick two "story" ideas—one for Ann to be the model, another for Jack. Then I jot down notes for six or eight pictures that will tell each story—picking the high spots, of course.

To decide which story shall be pictured first, we toss a coin. If Ann wins, it's her story and she is the model, while Jack and I take the pictures. Actually, I suppose, I do most of it—placing the lights, setting the camera, and so on—but I try to let Jack feel that he's really the "director." We tell Ann what to do, for each shot—and usually the whole picture series is made in a short time. The following evening, it's Jack's turn as model, and Ann helps me shoot.

Sometimes we invite the next-door neighbor's little girl over, as model, so that both Jack and Ann can help supervise. She enjoys it—If my "story" idea gives her some-

thing interesting to do. We made a sequence last week, showing how she learned to bake biscuits. We pictured her measuring out the flour, kneading the dough, rolling it out, cutting the biscuits, sliding them into the oven—and, finally, taking a big bite out of the first one. It's a good story.

That outline, incidentally, is typical of our snapshot sequences. Just a step-by-step account of things the children do. Jack, building an airplane model or packing his knapsack for a hike; Ann, learning how to roller-skate, or how to make a rag doll. And they have already made one story sequence of me—loading my pipe, lighting it, sitting down with the evening paper, puffing away as I read, and finally dozing off. Pretty good pictures, too, for youngsters.

You should try this idea of snapshot sequences, if you haven't already. There's fun in it—and the pictures are more interesting because they fit together to tell a real story.

John van Guilder

ROWE HILL

D. E. Heath of Gorham called on W. F. Bryant Sunday.

Oman Palmer spent the week-end at Flagstaff, fishing.

Sunday callers at Ray Hanson's were Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Martin of Greenwood Center, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hanson, Roger and Amy Hanson and Vada Eaman of Newry.

Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring, Mrs. Oman Palmer, Edna Palmer and Mrs. Elton Dunham went to Locke Mills to church Sunday evening.

Ray Hanson and Oman Palmer were fighting forest fires in Albany Monday evening.

MAGALLOWAY

Edna closed here Thursday with a picnic at Cedar Pond in Milan and entertainment and dance at the Town Hall in evening.

Several in town have the mumps now. A few are still recovering from the measles.

Mr. Davis of Bethel has started his mill here on Pond Brook. Several in town are working and some from Bethel too.

Miss Jean Cameron is coming home from Colebrook to stay next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Vaughn and daughter spent Sunday in Montreal.

Mrs. Warren Tucker was able to spend a few days with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Neil McGinley. She is recovering from rheumatic fever.

Mrs. Philip West is entering Rumford Community Hospital for observation.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ripley have moved home again from Portsmouth, N. H.

A very interesting meeting was held by Home Extension Meeting by Miss Carlisle at Mrs. Leon Bennett's at Wilson's Mills on Livable Living Rooms.

CENTER LOVELL

The remains of John George Evans, young son of Mr. and Mrs. George Evans of Hagerstown, Maryland, was brought Friday, for burial in the family lot. Services were held by Rev. John Dallinger.

Bernard Allen and Arthur Benson are working for Fred Walker in the mill at Farmington.

Mrs. Frederic Dallinger from New York is at their summer home here for the season, also Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zimmerman from Washington, D. C. have arrived for the summer.

Mrs. Celia Davis and two children were guests of her sister, Iva Andrews, at No. Lovell Sunday.

Brown's Camps had over seventy guests over the week-end holiday.

Mrs. Hazel Allen is working at Brown's Camps. Mrs. Mattie is working for Mrs. Lyons at Boulder Brook Camps.

Congratulations and best wishes are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Duffer Ridlon, (nee Elizabeth Eastman) on their recent marriage.

They are staying with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Roger Eastman, for the present.

The Bloomgart family from Massachusetts were at their cottage on the Lake, over the holiday and week-end.

Sidney McAllister and mother, Ella Smith were at his sons, Hilton McAllister, in Stowe Sunday.

Mrs. Hortense Prescott from Waldo, Mass., called on her uncle, Benj. Russell, Monday evening.

Rodolph McAllister called on his sister, Mrs. Watson Andrews, Tuesday evening.

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WEST PARIS

CUMMINGS—LIBBY

A very pretty wedding took place in the United Parish church Sunday, June 8, at 3 p. m. when Arthur Ronello Cummings and Doris Lorraine Libby were united in marriage. The attendants were Mrs. E. D. Curtis, Jr., matron of honor and the brides younger sister Ann Libby, maid of honor, Homer Smith, best man and Richard Dunham usher. The bride wore a pretty white evening dress with finger tip veil and carried a large bouquet of white carnations and ferns. The matron of honor wore a blue evening dress and wore a corsage of white pinks. The maid of honor wore an evening dress of rose pink with a corsage of red pinks. The boys wore button hole white pinks.

Miss Phyllis Flavin played the wedding march and other soft instrumental music. Miss Helmi Cummings, sister of the groom sang "O Promise Me" and "Always." The bride followed the march on her father's arm and the Rev. H. A. Libby pronounced the marriage vows. The church was prettily decorated with basket bouquets and ferns and looked very pretty. The church was nearly full. There were quite a lot of guests from Livermore and other towns where Mr. Libby had preached, also two of Mr. Libby's sister, people from North Paris and Woodstock. After the wedding the boy attendants gave them a "joy ride" around the village with white and blue streamers, honking horns etc. A buffet lunch was served to the guests then the bride couple took their leave to parts unknown. Mr. Cummings is the elder son of Carroll J. Cummings and graduated from West Paris High School three or four years ago and is employed in the Finnish Cooperative Store. Mrs. Cummings is a graduate from Livermore High School and took a business course in Rochester, N. Y. and is employed here in Penley Bros. Office.

The Commencement exercises of West Paris High School were held at the Gymnasium Wednesday evening. The Pageant, Let Youth Speak, was presented and music was furnished by the West Paris and South Paris combined orchestras. Members of the class are Olga Lillimatta, Richard Dunham, W. Scott Emmons, Phyllis Flavin, Elvi Komulainen, Stanton Lamb, Lucille Andrews, Christine Moore, Shirley Perham, Clayton Pierce, Maurice Pierce, Phyllis Proctor, Nellie Trask, Gordon Verrill, Faculty, Prin. Harold Millett, Elmore Putnam, Miss Pearl Roseau.

Monday evening the Senior-Junior Banquet was held at the Universalist Church. The guest speaker was Principal Willis Rollins of South Paris High School and guests of honor were Supt. and Mrs. William O. Bailey. The musical selections were rendered by Miss Helmi Cummings. Toastmaster Roy Perham Jr. Response for Seniors, Richard Dunham.

The Baccalaureate service at the Universalist Church was largely attended. Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes delivered the sermon. Rev. Felix Mayblom, scripture; Mrs. Lorraine Libby, call to worship; Rev. H. A. Libby, prayer; and music was rendered by the church choir with Mrs. Jennie Brown Dunham, organist.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, pastor of the church, christened Matthew Wilmet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester McGown, South Paris; Daine June, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Curtis; Margaret Bernice, Dorothy May, Avis Marie, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Farr; Wayne Frederick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene F. Penley; Mary Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Perham; Donna Mae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley O. Andrews; Sheila Lorne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Heath; Elinor Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Heikkinen.

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Last Chapel at Gymnasium Monday morning, June 10th. The program follows:

Processional
Invocation, Rev. Harold Libby
Clarinet Solo, Sherman Cole
Address to Undergraduates, Shirley Perham

Orchestra Selection
Awards, Mr. Millett
Violin Solo, Helen Ross
Speaker, Walter Hawkins
Hymn, I Would Be True
Benediction, Rev. Eleanor Forbes
Recessional

Principal Millett gave the awards as follow:

Boys Basketball—Stanton Lamb, Ralph Packard, George Ofa, Maurice Pierce, Richard Dunham, Raymond Farr, Harold Perham, Jr., Roy Perham, Jr.

Girls Basketball awards—Olga Lillimatta, Lucille Andrews, Elvi Lillimatta, Anna Schroderus, Lahja Pike, Ina Ellingwood, Lois Hollis, Patricia Perham, Ann Libby.

Boys Baseball—Earl Hollis, Gordon Verrill, Murray Haines, Maurice Pierce, Stanton Lamb, Peter Rosenberg, Richard Dunham, Harold Perham Jr., Ralph Packard, Roy Perham Jr.

Ricker College Award to Commercial student, Lucille Andrews
Athletic, Stanton Lamb
Scholastic, Olga Lillimatta
Activities, Richard Dunham

Award for most improved student of year, Phyllis Proctor

Children's Sunday was observed at the Universalist Church Sunday morning. Following the program the Superintendent, C. M. Coffin presented appreciation gifts for attendance—Everett Chase for five years perfect attendance—Edna Haines, Lawrence Buck, Joyce Buck, Joseph Perham, Leland Doughty, Maxine Farr, Ruth Farr, Margaret Perham, Elinor Proctor, Patricia Baker for one year perfect attendance and to Arlene Farr, teacher, for one year perfect attendance.

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HANOVER

Mrs. Annie Dudley and sister were calling on friends in town one day last week.

Church members and families attended the Annual Fellowship Supper at Rumford Point, June 3.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders attended Oxford Pomona at Upton, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clemens arrived Friday at their home in town; Mr. Clemens will return to North Carolina shortly, to carry on his business.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thurlow are at Sunflower Inn for the summer and will open about the usual time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sanford returned to their home in Bridgton after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Barker.

Work is progressing on the new road in town.

Mrs. Eva Hayford entertained the members of the Past Chief's Club at her home Friday afternoon, when work was continued on clothing for the Children's Home in Augusta. Another meeting will be held in the same place June 20 when it is hoped there will be a good number out to sew.

Mishamokwa Temple will hold their regular meeting June 13; when there will be rehearsal of degree work.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Vervon Lapham on the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. Cecil Lapham and infant daughter are expected home from the Hospital this week.

Mrs. Ebbert Dyke has returned from Bangor, where she spent several weeks with her daughter.

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EAST BETHEL

This year the East Bethel school has received the fifty percent to ninety-nine percent certificate for seven-point pupils from the Maine Public Health Association. Those who have received pins and certificates are: William Hastings, Virgil Curtis, Barbara Hastings, Willis Bartlett, Virginia Hastings, Lendall Nevens, Shirley Bartlett, Warren Hastings, Kenneth Bartlett, Mary-Alice Hastings, Clayton Bartlett.

The promotion exercises for the East Bethel School were held at the East Bethel Grange Hall Tuesday June 10 at eight thirty.

Program

Play in verse, "The Loveliest Rose"

Cast of Characters

Mistress Mary, Gail Curtis
Wee Willie Winkie, Clayton Bartlett
Sandman, Kenneth Bartlett
Fairy King, Edward Hastings
Fairy, Edith Tyler
Elves,

Leroy Merrill, Warren Hastings
Sunbeam, Carlene Dorey
Breeze, Clark Bartlett
Red Rose, Mary-Alice Hastings
White Rose, Shirley Bartlett
Pink Bird, Adelle Kimball
Honeybee, Harley Merrill
Blue Bird, Lewis Smith

Selection by the Rhythm Band,
Norwegian Mountain March

Play,

The Old Woman and the Tramp
Old Woman, Marilyn Noyes
Traveler, Lendall Nevens

Piano Selection, Barbara Hastings

Play, "The Bill of Rights"

Cast: Virgil Curtis, Barbara Hastings, Clare Tyler, Virginia Hastings, Lewis Curtis, Richard Kimball, Carolyn Noyes and Louise Merrill

Song, God Bless America, Louise Merrill, Gail Curtis, Barbara Hastings

Play, "The Haunted House"

Cast: Willis Bartlett, Freeman Merrill, Virgil Curtis and Lendall Nevens

Selection by Rhythm Band,
"Pop Goes the Weasel"

STATE OF MAINE.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty one, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said May. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1941, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Malvena C. Abbott, late of Upton, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Clifford R. Waldron as executor of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Clifford R. Waldron, the executor therein named.

James J. Dever, late of Bethel, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by Helen M. Perkins, administratrix.

Anne C. Hibbard, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for order to distribute balance remaining in his hands, presented by Frank C. Hibbard, administrator.

Maude O. Vashaw, late of Bethel, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by Elizabeth E. Vashaw, administratrix d. b. n. c. l. a.

Silas F. Littlehale, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Mary F. Clark as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Mary F. Clark, the executrix therein named.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

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SCHOOL DAYS

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Cast of characters,

Penrod Schofield, William Hastings
Sam Williams, Willis Bartlett
Roderick Betts, Lewis Curtis
George Bassett, Lendall Nevens
Marjorie Jones, Virginia Hastings
Clara Raypole, Marilyn Noyes
Amy Rensdale, Louise Merrill
Morris Levy, Richard Kimball
Miss Spence, the teacher, Clare Tyler

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

William H. Crockett, late of Greenwood, deceased; Cora Mae Crockett of Lockes Mills, executrix without bond, May 20, 1941.
Angus Fraser, late of Glead, deceased; James A. Fraser of Gorham, N. H. administrator without bond. Gerard S. Williams of Bethel, Agent in Maine, May 20, 1941.
Susan B. Twitchell, late of Bethel, deceased; Florence E. Twitchell of Bethel, administratrix without bond, May 20, 1941.

NOTICE

On and after this date, I, Howard V. Douglass, will no longer be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone except myself.
signed, HOWARD V. DOUGLASS
May 17, 1941

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Awarding of 7-point certificates, Miss Wight
Class Prophecy, Barbara Hastings
Awarding of diplomas, Miss Wight

William Howe is in Manchester, N. H. this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Day called in town Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Hastings and children were at Camp Birchall over the week end. Mr. Hastings and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lister joined them Sunday.

Mrs. Lillian Russ, Mrs. Chester Russ and Chester Jr. of Worcester, Mass. and Mrs. Mandy Lapham spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Haines.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crockett are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, June 4.

Dr. William Ham of Boston and Mr. Austin McHugh of Everett, Mass., were last week guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Irvine. Miss Winifred L. Ham was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Irvine.

Miss Helen Cornforth of Auburn is a guest of Miss Mills at Mrs. Guy Bartlett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dunham of Bryant Pond, Mrs. Leland Coolidge Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge and three children were in Portland Saturday to leave Arlene Coolidge at M. G. Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Hilda Swan and two children, Mrs. Eva Swan and Kay Dorey were at Ida Blake's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Falkenham were Sunday guests of Mrs. S. B. Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swan of Dixfield were guests of Charles Reed and Mrs. Ida Blake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Bean and Mrs. Carrie Bartlett of Rumford were at Urban Bartlett's Sunday.

HUNT'S CORNER and

Mr. and Mrs. George McAllister of Bethel were callers at Olive Little's Sunday.

Alex Anderson was in Norway last Saturday.

Mrs. Ernest Stone and children were in Portland last Friday.

The Grangers are painting and papering their hall.

Nona Grover of North Waterford passed a few days with her mother, Lavaun Allen, who was ill.

Nancy Andrews has returned to Bryant Pond after passing a week at her home at Hunt's Corner.

A. R. Clark of Harrison was a caller at Olive Little's last Friday.

Ophelia and Marion Spring of Brookline, Mass. plan to pass the summer at their brother's camp at Hunt's Corner.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 12, 1941

Three months ago the citizens of
the Bethel Village Corporation, as-
sembled in their annual meeting,
decided that the services of a night
policeman are not necessary. For
three months there has been no
night officer—and apparently all
has gone well. So far money has
been saved, but we doubt if all the
Bethel village people regard it as
all clear gain. True, as it happened,
nothing disastrous has occurred,
but may we suggest that this con-
dition is not likely to continue.
This kind of economy is like al-
lowing your fire and liability insur-
ance to lapse. And we know what
may happen in such cases.

The history of the employment of
night watchmen is well known to
most of the interested parties.
And our recounting of the facts,
as we see them, might not agree
with the recollections and opinions
of all our readers. However we be-
lieve that in justice to local citizens
and property owners, as well as the
visitors in the locality who are en-
titled to reasonable courtesy at all
hours, the services of a night
watchman should be secured if only
for the summer months.

Certain labor leaders in the
United States today set themselves
and their demands above the wel-
fare and safety of the nation.

To enforce their demands, what-
ever they happen to be, they do
not hesitate to imperil the lives, not
only of the workers themselves, but
of every man, woman and child in
our country.

Standing behind the cloak of
freedom which they enjoy in this
land, they are deliberately pur-
suing a course which may well de-
stroy that freedom, and destroy with
it the labor movement they pro-
stitute for financial gain and power.

They dictate to government as
well as to industry and the worker.
There is only one force that can
control them—public opinion, which
eventually controls government.

The welfare of the public is to-
day threatened on all sides by rule
or ruin labor leadership.

First, our national defense is at
stake.

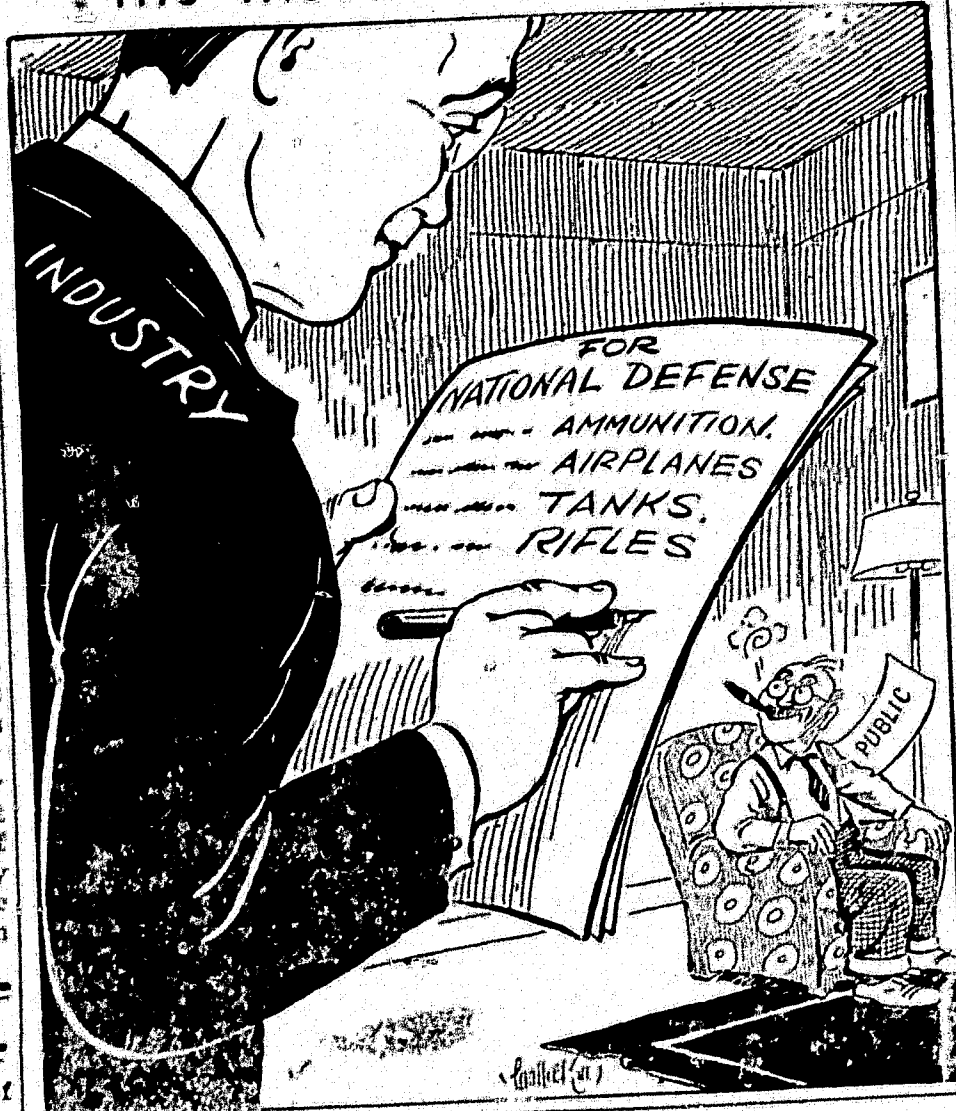
Second, the nation's supply of
coal is depleted to the danger point
by strikes and threatened strikes.

Third, farm production is discour-
aged through increased costs the
farmer cannot meet.

Fourth, the railroad workers now
go the defense workers and the
coal miners one better and demand
a 30 per cent increase in basic
wages which, if granted, would so
boost living costs that the vicious
circle of strikes would start all over
again.

The development of little dicta-
torships was practiced in foreign
lands until helpless people accepted

HIS INSURANCE POLICY



a total political dictatorship which
finally destroyed personal liberty
and labor liberty as well.

Labor must realize that when the
safety of the nation is in jeopardy,
anything can happen. If the peo-
ple are driven too far, they will be
forced to demand a government
dictatorship that will end labor dic-
tatorship. And if that happens,
the eventual result will be the de-
struction of the kind of freedom we
have all enjoyed.—Industrial News
Review.

One by one those great privileges
given in the Bill of Rights to Amer-
ican citizens are being curtailed.
The blatant effort to muzzle the
broadcasting companies under
pretense of applying the anti-trust
law is just another step, somewhat
longer and plainer than others
have been. Already, anti-adminis-
tration newspapers are feeling the
pinch of the political machine in
control through the use of some
weapons provided in national legis-
lation. It will be necessary to fight
the encroachment, step by step, and
difficult to foresee the outcome un-
less public sentiment asserts itself.
—Chattanooga, Tenn., News-Free
Press.

A man who can't forget is quite
as bad as the one who can't re-
member. Everybody should re-
member to forget.—Elbert Hub-
bard.

It is pleasant to observe how free
the present age is laying taxes on
the next. "Future ages shall talk
of this; they shall be famous for all
posterity;" whereas their time and
thoughts will be taken up about
present things, as ours are now.—
Swift.

Memory is not as brilliant as
hope, but it is more beautiful, and
a thousand times more true.—
George D. Prentice.

"Everything comes to him who
hustles while he waits."—Thomas
A. Edison.

"These are critical and dangerous
times. It is hoped that they will
bring to us a fuller realization of
the fact that liberty is more than a
privilege. Two thousand years ago
the doctrine of man's dignity and
responsibility as an individual re-
newed his faith in himself and his
fellow men. Today, I am firmly
convinced, much of the world's
trouble can be traced to the fact
that we fail to remember that the
advantages we now enjoy do not
diminish our responsibility to an-
cestry."—C. Donald Dallas, Presi-
dent, Revere Copper and Brass, In-
corporated.

NORTH NEWRY

H. H. Morton has a crew of men
with trucks putting out sand, in
preparation for tar on the Newry
road.

A number from out of town at-
tended the graduation exercises of
the Newry schools Friday night.

F. Percy Ferren and family of
Houghton and Mr. and Mrs. A. W.
Herrick of Bethel, who took a ride
over the new road Sunday, were at
Screw Auger Falls for lunch.

Mrs. L. E. Wight was at Screw
Auger Falls with her trailer lunch
Sunday and expects to be there ev-
ery Sunday until the 4th of July,
then every day through the sum-
mer months.

Work on the light lines here is
progressing very rapidly. The pow-
er company's crew is boarding at
the Appalachian House.

Graduation Exercises

Graduation exercises of the New-
ry schools were held at the Church
Friday evening, June 6, with the
following program:

March, Processional, School
Salute to the Flag, Walter Enman
Flag Bearer, Playing of Harmonicas,
Four Sunday River pupils

America, Rev. Norman Scruton
Prayer, Welcome, Pauline Enman
Address of Welcome, Vada Enman
Program by Sunday River School.

Mrs. Julia Fleet, teacher
My Country's Flag, Lucia Smith
I Am Just American, Paul Wight
Good bye to School, Gloria Walte
Exercise, "Flag," Theodore Olson,
Leroy Learned, Francis Hoyt,
Thelma Morse

Play, "We, Americans"—Narrator,
Elaine Vall; Abraham Lincoln,
Richard Ball; Other characters,
Owen Wight, Charles Morse, Paul
Wight, Elden Bennett (absent),
Clarence Walte, George Learned,
Richard Ball, Elizabeth Larr,
Barbara Learned, Marion Erring-
ton, Lilla Morse (absent), Gene-
va Johnston, Naomi Enman, Vada
Enman, Gloria Walte

Songs during the play: O Columbia
the Gem of the Ocean; Marching
through Georgia; Pack Up Your
Troubles

Presentation of Certificates of
Promotion to High School.

Supt. Carrie Wight
Graduates—Elaine Vall, Gloria
Walte, Vada Enman, Geneva
Johnston, Marion Errington

Star Spangled Banner. All
In behalf of the parents of the
school children, Mrs. Sam T.
Smith presented a parting gift
to Miss Varner, who is leaving
Newry, as a token of apprecia-
tion.

Benediction, Rev. Norman Scruton
At the afternoon session of
school, Vada Enman and Kenneth
Hoyt were presented gifts for hav-
ing attendance record for the school
year. The teacher, Miss Helen
Varner, presented the eighth grade

AMERICAN
LEGION
AUXILIARY
NEWS

JACKSON-SILVER UNIT, No. 68

Past Com. Charlie Clifford and
Past. Pres. Myrtle Clifford, as-
sisted by Roy Morgan and Miss
Maxine Clifford, President of the
Junior Auxiliary, installed the new
officers Friday evening, June 6, in
the Legion Home at a joint meet-
ing. The retiring heads were pre-
sented with Past Officers badges
and those installing with gifts.

In honoring Vice-President Fan-
nie Cummings the Unit presented
her with an evening purse and a
wardrobe traveling case with the
emblems attached.

The Post elected as delegates to
Convention June 20-22, Joseph Bar-
rett and Levi Smith; alternates,
Conrad Lamb and Roy Morgan.

The new officers are: President,
Cora Bennett; 1st Vice, Evelyn
Barrett; 2nd Vice, Bertha Mason;
Secretary, Edith Littlefield; Treas-
urer, Idella Morgan; Historian,
Celia Lamb; Chaplain, Gertrude
Redman; Sergeant-at-Arms, Bertha
Kimball.

Post officers are: Commander,
Joe Barrett; 1st Vice, Orin Sprague;
2nd Vice, Lester Tebbets; Adjutant,
Conrad Lamb; Finance Officer,
Herman Cummings; Chaplain, Roy
Morgan; Sergeant-at-Arms, Fred
Mason.

Volunteers for the Aircraft Warn-
ing Service, sponsored in this sec-
tion by Post No. 68, will register
Thursday, June 12, from noon until
7 p. m. at the home of Alanson
Cummings, County Commander, in
West Paris.

Everyone appreciated the fine ad-
dress on National Defense given by
Dept. Adj. James Boyle at the Sec-
ond District Council meeting held
in Phillips Sunday afternoon. The
attendance was 65, which included
25 Legionnaires and represented
eight Units. Mrs. C. F. Sanford of
Lovell won the coveted district
quilt and Wilton the largest attend-
ance trophy. Ten dollars each was
voted the two new Units, Mechan-
ic Falls and Phillips, to help them
to obtain an American Flag. A
very fine meeting was reported by
all who attended.

Oxford County Council will be
held in Town Hall at Locke Mills
for the purpose of installation Tues-
day evening, June 17. The ladies
are invited. Walter Guenther,
Vice Com. of the District, will offi-
ciate. L. C. Fortier, Dept. Disaster
and Relief Chairman, and the Bri-
gade have been asked to attend
also.

NAPOLEON OUELLETTE UNIT

Napoleon Ouellette Unit of Rum-
ford held a regular meeting June
10 in Legion Hall. Miss Lovina
Irish appointed the new chairman
of committees for the ensuing year.
There was a large attendance at
previous to the meeting. Lottie M.
the banquet held at the Rendezvous
Withee of Rumford has been cho-
sen to serve on the Convention Com-
mittee on Resolutions by the De-
partment President, Mary I. Mil-
ken of West Baldwin.

with class pins, bearing the initials
"N. G. S." and a guard "41."

Both parents and children are
very sorry to have Miss Varner
leave, but all join in wishing her
luck and success in her new pos-
ition.

THANK YOU,
GOULD ACADEMY

As our advertisement was omitted from the cur-
rent issue of the Academy Herald, for the first time
in its history, we take this opportunity to thank the
school—its faculty and students—for its patronage
during the school year, and sincerely hope to merit
a continuance of the relations enjoyed for many
years past.

THE CITIZEN

GOULD ACADEMY . . .

The following boys received let-
ters for Track: Sidney Howe, Ir-
ving Cummings, Stanley Davis, How-
ard Grover, Elmer Runyon, Charles
St. Thomas, Whipple Abbe, David
Hawkins, Reginald King, Erik
Brown, Earle Barlow, Wilbur Bull,
Hartwell Blanchard, Lewis Little-
hale, Richard Peabody, and Henry
Haley, Manager.

The following boys received num-
erals in Track: Romeo Baker, Wil-
bur Bull, Robert Morrill, Richard
Peabody, Earle Barlow, and Regi-
nald King.

The following boys received let-
ters for Tennis: Edwin Jenks, Wil-
bur Bull, Charles St. Thomas, Har-
well Blanchard, Fremont Ireland,
Erik Brown, Robert Townsend, and
Romeo Baker.

Letters for Baseball were given
to the following: Buddy Clough,
Captain; Edwin Jenks, Clayton
Crockett, Robert Perry, George
Stearns, Nicholas Amato, William
Robertson, Fremont Ireland, Wil-
fred Coolidge, Francis Berry, and
Edward Bean, Manager.

Track numerals were given to
the Senior Class Team: Reginald
King, Romeo Baker, Richard Pea-
body, Robert Morrill, Wilbur Bull,
Earle Barlow.

Numerals were given to the fol-
lowing girls for having earned 30
points in athletics: Seniors, Eva
Deegan and Marion Wight; Juni-
ors: Muriel Bean, Marion Colby,
Dorothy Fish, Ruby Jewell, Mar-
garet Stevens, Elizabeth Runyon,
Rosalie George; Sophomores: Lou-
isa Bacon, Alice Bennett, Marion
Chapman, Nora Chipman, Ida Lee
Clough, Arlene Donahue, Dora Gal-
lant, Rachel Gordon, Vera Leigh-
ton, Josephine McMillan, Kathryn
Morgan, Ivy Philbrook, Barbara
Poole, and Carolyn Wight; Fresh-
men: Margaret Hanscom, Margaret
Chaffee, Marcia Smith.

G's were given the following girls
for having earned 50 points in ath-
letics: Seniors: Betty Littlefield,
Mary Jodrey, and Marion Wight;
Juniors: Hope Bean, Ruth Bennett,
Emma Blake, Marion Colby, Rach-
el Field, Dorothy Fish, Elizabeth
Gorman, Susie Lovejoy, Herbertina
Norton, Ruth Walker, Helen Wil-
lamson, Patricia Lavery, and June
Enman; Sophomores: Alice Ben-
nett, Marion Chapman, and Ida
Lee Clough.

Banners were given to girls hav-
ing earned 80 points in athletics:
Hope Bailey and Francine War-
ren.

Basket Balls for members of the
Girls' Varsity Basketball Team
were given to the following girls:
Hope Bean, Elizabeth Runyon, Mu-
lucia Packard, Marion Wight,
riel Messinger, Marion Colby, Ida
Lee Clough, and Hope Bailey.

The Seniors (the class of 1941)
will have their numerals engraved
on the Girls' Championship Cup for
having won the greatest number of
championships in sports this year.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Addie Farwell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chester Cummings, at Hanover.

Marshall Bean of Hampton, N. H., was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Brown and son Carlton of Old Orchard were in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Milton Pratt and infant daughter Jo-Ann returned home from Portland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Gurney of Freeport called on Mr. and Mrs. Adney Gurney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frost of Kingfield were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn.

Norris Brown and Glendon McAlister are among those having the mumps during the past week.

Miss Leslie Ireland arrived home from the University of New Hampshire Sunday for the vacation.

Mrs. Custer Quimby of Raymond, N. H., is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall.

Frank Russell, Richard Russell, and Miss Cleo Russell were recent guests of George Russell and family at Naples.

Mrs. Eva Ripley, who spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Littlehale, returned to her home at Magalloway Sunday.

John Harris and Miss Hattie Harris of Chelsea, Mass., have arrived to spend some time at their home on Broad Street.

Plans have been made for extensive repairs on the Methodist Church. H. I. Bean has been appointed to make arrangements for painting the church.

Mrs. Ellery C. Park is slowly recovering from an illness of several weeks with the flu. Mr. Park is now able to be out after a month's illness of the same kind.

O'Neill and Edward Robertson from the University of Maine are spending a week with their mother, Mrs. Mabel Robertson, before leaving for their summer's work.

Mrs. Philip Chapman attended the graduating exercises at the Wentworth Institute, June 7th, where her son, Sheridan, was a member of the graduating class. He has employment with the General Electric Company at West Lynn, Mass.

Twenty-two pupils of the eighth grade, accompanied by Principal and Mrs. Omer Drummond, made their annual trip to Portland Friday. Places visited were National Biscuit Co., Universal Laundry, WGAN broadcasting studio, Burnham & Morrill Co., the State Theatre, and the coast guard cutter, "Empire State." A picnic dinner was enjoyed at Deering Oaks. The trip was made in the school bus, driven by Henry Flint.

B. G. S. SEVEN POINT PUPILS

Seven point pupils of the Bethel Grammar School are:

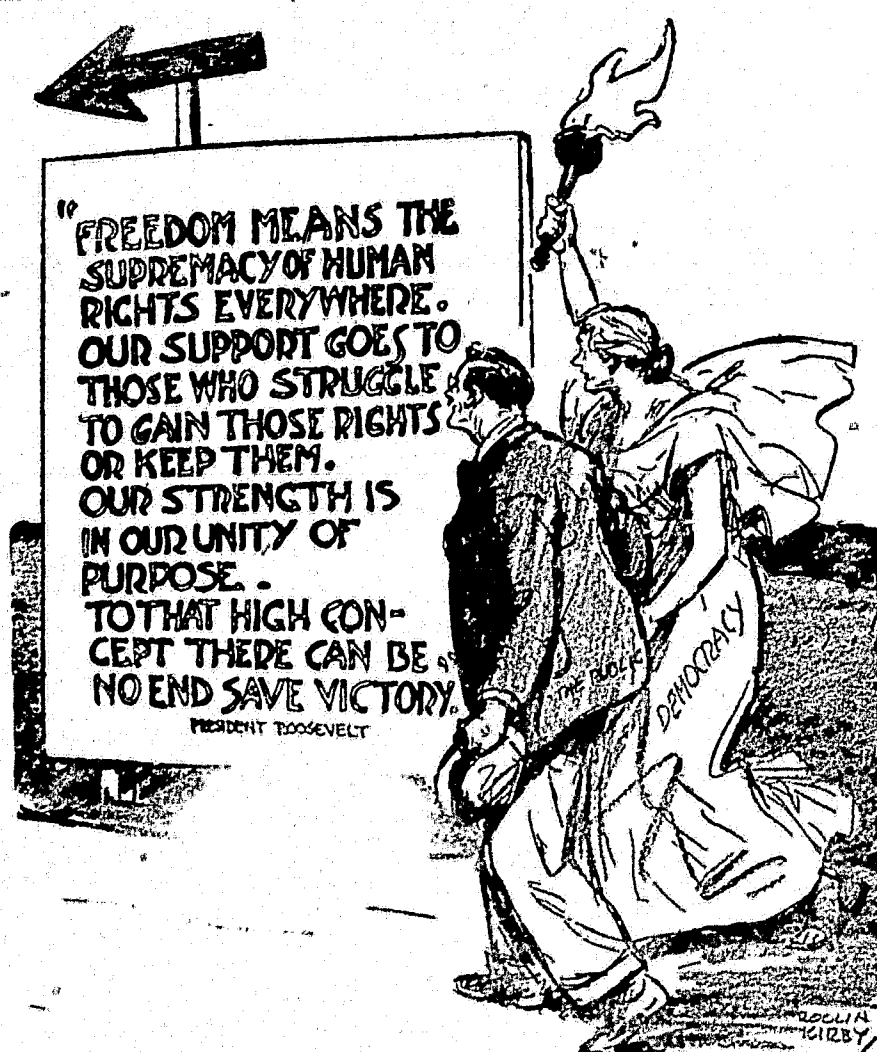
Grade 5—Norma Cross, Leona Kimball, Earle Thompson, Mary Wentzell, Lois Ann Van Den Kerckhoven, Patsy Tucker, Wilma Croteau, Raymond Chapman, Laurence Waterhouse, James Brown, Edwin Swain, Billy O'Brien, David Bennett, Leland Brown.

Grade 6—Irene Wight, Rebecca Philbrick, Guy Swan Jr., John Cutler, Marilyn Boyker, Eleanor Kimball, Harlan Blake, Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven Jr., Lynwood Wheeler.

Grade 7—Margaret Baker, Donald Brooks, Carolyn Bryant, Reginald Godwin, John Greenleaf, Elizabeth Lowell, Betty Smith, Elizabeth Ward, Carl Wight.

Grade 8—Betty Warren, Pauline Philbrick, Archie Young Jr., Richard Bryant, Patsy O'Brien, Priscilla Carver.

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Sergeant Lloyd Chapin and Corporal Fred Garfield of Fort Banks, Mass., spent the week-end with Sergeant Chapin's father, Milan Chapin, at the home of James Spinney.

A feature of the program at the Alumni Luncheon next Monday at the Marian True Gehring Students' Home will be solos by Miss Ruth Areson and Headmaster Elwood F. Ireland.

Mrs. Ira Bean, sons Jerry and Harold, Mrs. John Haney and Mrs. Ernest Derosier of Colebrook attended the funeral of their brother, Charles Wight, at Greenleaf's funeral home last Thursday.

MISSISS TIBBETTS TO RECEIVE DEGREES THIS MONTH

Miss Margaret Joy Tibbetts daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts of Bethel, will receive the bachelor of arts degree at Wheaton College, Norton, Mass., next Monday.

Miss Tibbetts is a history major. She won the General Information Prize recently of \$25.00; the Rosemary Buckingham Prize of \$25.00, for her paper on "Anti-Semitism in Europe, 1870-1914." The prize is awarded annually for the most original work or thesis in connection with the regular work of the History Department. Miss Tibbetts also won the second prize, known as the Anne Elizabeth Scott Prize, for attaining the second highest average through midyears of her senior year. She was elected a Wheaton Scholar in the fall of her senior year, Phi Beta Kappa, and to the Dean's List.

Her older sister, Miss Mary Tibbetts, majoring in Latin, will receive the Ph. D. degree at Cornell University this month, making her one of the youngest in the State to hold a doctorate.

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IGA FOOD STORES

SURPRISE SHOWER GIVEN MISS MILLS

Miss Alma Mills was given a surprise shower Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young in honor of her approaching marriage to Richard Young. The party was planned by Miss Marquerite Hall and Mrs. Roma Stanley. After the gift packages were opened by the honor guest, refreshments were served. The bride's cake was made by Mrs. Kathryn Thurston. Miss Hall and Mrs. Stanley were assisted in serving by Mrs. Verna Dyke and Mrs. Alma Thurston.

Those present besides the honor guest and hostesses were Mrs. Alice Littlehale, Mrs. Alice Brooks, Mrs. Edith Brown, Mrs. Rose Bartlett, Mrs. Florence Hastings, Mrs. Ferol Godwin, Miss Virginia Chapman, Miss Mary Clough, Miss Maxine Clough, Miss Frances Morrill, Miss Alice Ballard, Mrs. Ethel Bisee, Mrs. Stephanie Thurston, Mrs. Tena Thurston, Mrs. Mildred Lyon, Mrs. Ruth Poole, Miss Arlene Greenleaf, Miss Anne McKenna, Mrs. Kathryn Thurston, Miss Elizabeth Lyon, Mrs. Edith Howe, Mrs. Ruth Hastings, Mrs. Stella Allen, Mrs. Martha Zintl, Mrs. Mary Brown, Mrs. Carrie Merrill, Miss Harriet Merrill, Mrs. Elsie Davis, Miss Mary Ann Toft, Mrs. Norma Jodrey, Mrs. Ella Drummond, Mrs. Sylvia Conroy, Mrs. Erma Young, Mrs. Daisy LeClair, Mrs. Alma Thurston, Mrs. Wilma Quimby, Mrs. Verna Dyke, Miss Betty Wight, Miss Carrie Wight, Mrs. Ella Cornforth, Miss Helen Cornforth, Mrs. Sadie Allen.

"LET'S MAKE MUSIC" BOB CROSBY'S DEBUT

America's ace maestro of swing rhythm, Bob Crosby, and his famous Dixieland Band, debut in "Let's Make Music," scintillating new music comedy from RKO Radio, the same studio that recently offered Kay Kyser in "You'll Find Out."

Like Kyser, Bob Crosby also plays the role of himself, leading his orchestra, The Bobcats and The Bobolinks through a brightly romantic comedy in which a small town, spinster teacher becomes the toast of New York night clubs and her pretty niece becomes the band leader's No. 1 heart interest. Jean Rogers as the girl, Elisabeth Risdon as the elderly adventurer in Manhattan, and Joseph Buloff and Joyce Compton are featured in leading roles.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Winslow gave a birthday party Sunday, in honor of their son Dennis at their camp at Songo Pond.

He had the following guests at the party: Charlotte Stevens, Betty Marshall, John Marshall, Neal Merrill, Eddie Swain, Jerry Clough, Stanley and Steven Clough, Leona Kimball, Eugene Brown, Urban Leighton, and Betty McAllister.

Many presents were presented, after which ice cream and cake etc., were enjoyed and games played. They were all swimming afterwards.

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| | 3.00 | 2.10 | 50 |

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Whereas Donald Brigette, then of Gilead, County of Oxford, State of Maine, but now of Rumford in said County of Oxford, by his mortgage deed dated December 11, 1937, and recorded in Oxford County Registry of Deeds, Book 425, Page 193, conveyed to George E. Leighton of said Gilead, a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Gilead, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a large oak tree on the easterly side of Wild River Road, so-called, at the limit of the highway; thence northerly to an iron pipe driven in the ground as a corner, one and one-fourth (1 1/4) rods; thence easterly fifteen and one-fourth (15 1/4) rods to an iron pipe driven in the ground as a corner; thence southerly nine (9) rods to point of ledge at intersection of land of Brown Company; thence westerly in line of Brown Company land to said highway; thence northwesterly on said highway to the point of beginning on said Wild River Road. Being the same parcel of land bounded in deed of Ernest Burton Curtis to said me dated November 14, 1929.

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ATTACK ON AMERICA

BY GENERAL ARD WHITE
W. H. U. Release

THE STORY SO FAR: More than 200,000 foreign troops which had been secretly transported to Mexico suddenly invaded the United States. Intelligence Officer Benning had discovered their plans while a spy in Mexico City where he had gained the confidence of Fincke and Bravot, two enemy officers, but

CHAPTER XIV—Continued

Colonel Flagwill was asleep at his desk when Benning reported at the War Department in mid-afternoon. The G-2 Chief woke with a start and vigorously shook himself into full wakefulness.

"You've certainly justified your existence again!" Flagwill exclaimed, smiling at his assistant. "We've already ordered the prompt arrest of all Andes stockholders—innocent and guilty alike. That means the biggest spy roundup in history. We can separate sheep from goats after we've arrested the whole lot. Now is no time for half measures."

Benning said, "I'm sorry Bravot got away, sir."

"He'll be a magician," Flagwill vowed, "if he gets through the nets we've laid for him."

As Flagwill turned back to his littered desk, his eye fell upon a penciled memorandum. He looked up sharply at Benning.

"I've just found another little chore for you—to sit in on a very secret party row over successor to the Presidency." Flagwill lowered his voice and spoke rapidly. "A partisan intrigue to force Senator Tannard, Secretary of State, out of the line of succession. It all hinges on the fact that Tannard received an interim appointment from the President last fall, when Secretary Hinges died. Tannard has not yet been confirmed by the Senate."

"Now, if Congress rejects Tannard's appointment, the Presidency falls by law to Judge Baucum, Secretary of the Treasury. Since Baucum is party leader and wheel horse, it is likely that a swift party coup will bring this about, as Tannard may not want to make a fight for his confirmation under all the circumstances."

On reaching Capitol Hill a few minutes before four o'clock, Benning passed the House Chamber, went downstairs, and took the tunnel-trolley across to the Senate Office Building.

The selected senators, leaders of the party in power, were just arriving when Benning reached the Baucum conference room and was admitted by a Baucum secretary. Secretary Baucum rose promptly when the door closed on the last of those he had summoned. Baucum was a large man, square-faced, straight-topped, with friendly, level gray eyes.

"Friends, I must announce that there will be a slight delay," Baucum said abruptly. His eyes ran slowly from face to face as if to test the mettle of those present against what he had to say. "I have just sent for Secretary Tannard."

Benning saw an interchange of astonished glances among those present and felt his own brows knit at Baucum's astounding announcement. Tannard long had been known as the particular political foe of Secretary Baucum.

"My reason for asking Tannard here," he said in a low, determined voice, "is I consider him the man best qualified among all of us to lead the country through our present crisis."

Senator Vren, veteran Senate leader, was on his feet. In his taut face was reflected the prevalent attachment of Baucum's institution to Tannard.

"Please be seated, sir, that I considered the majority opinion before we came here. Therefore, I speak this opinion as well as my own, which I believe goes to show that it is your destiny and not of the United States, and this by the simple method of disqualifying Secretary Tannard."

Baucum's face colored to a crimson shade, but he only shook his massive gray head.

"I appreciate the fact you say me, Vren," he interrupted. "But we face an emergency, gentlemen, in which men are going to surrender their lives to their sense of duty."

his warnings had gone unheeded. The President was killed when Washington was bombed. General Brill, commander of the U. S. army in Texas, was opposed by greatly superior forces led by Van Hassek. In spite of Brill's desperate resistance, Van Hassek's troops pushed relentlessly forward. Returning

just as Captain Boll did. That makes it very easy for me to surrender so small a thing as my personal ambition. From now on we must resolve to smash party considerations. Our national crisis is serious enough without divisions among ourselves. I must set a personal example and confess to you frankly that I am 100 old and lack the vigor and, frankly, the abilities that are needed at this time."

He paused a moment, his eyes fixed defiantly on Vren, then he went on in a milder voice.

"If your minds, gentlemen, are free of purely partisan prejudices, you will not challenge my proposal of Tannard for President. Tannard has comparative youth and vigor. As Secretary of State, while he is new in that position, he is the lawful successor, unless we disqualify him on mere technicality. He has brains and guts and he has both feet on the ground. He is the man we need to lead us in this emergency, and I intend to do everything within my power looking to his confirmation."

Baucum broke off and his eyes searched each face again as if seeking challenge to the words he had spoken. Only a stunned silence met him. His eyes lifted and a friendly smile wreathed his face as the door of the conference room opened. A tall, erect man stood at the door, gravely hesitant.

"Come right on in, Tannard," Baucum invited. He stepped forward to extend a congratulatory hand and his smile widened as he added, without formality: "I hope your heart is in good shape to stand a hard shock, Senator. But the gentlemen present wish you to serve as President of the United States. Your confirmation will be voted without serious opposition."

Tannard's alert eyes searched the room. He was a man of fifty, physically fit, appearing much younger than his age. His face was angular, strong-featured. Tannard looked the born leader of men, man of action governed by an active, orderly mind.

In his steel-blue eyes there showed no gleam of personal triumph at Baucum's announcement. His emotional response was a tightening of the muscles of his jaw, a drawing erect of his wide shoulders.

Tannard gave his answer in a measured voice.

"Very good, gentlemen, if that is your decision, I accept. Forgive me



"I hope your heart is good."

If I have no probability of gratitude to offer, nor promises of performance, I will only say that I deeply desire the emergency confirmation that will go to the President. If I am not

to Washington, Benning met Fincke who had come there to do espionage work for his government, but continued to pose as a friend. Benning soon unearthed the vast spy ring that was operating in this country to learn military secrets and sabotage production. Now continue with the story.

CHAPTER XV

Van Hassek's Austrian spy was on hand at the Shoreham promptly at eight the next morning. Fincke was glum and jumpy as they ordered breakfast, and from time to time cast covert glances about the dining-room.

"Why the jitters, Fincke?" Benning asked him.

The Austrian took several nervous gulps of coffee and said: "Something's gone wrong, Bromlitz. I want to get out of this town as quick as possible."

"Heard anything from Bravot?"

"No word from anybody, not since the last time I saw you. I can't figure it out, but it's there. Sometimes I think I'm being watched and G-2 has my number." Fincke pushed aside his unfinished breakfast and got up. "Come on, Bromlitz, let's get out of this town!"

Benning asked, as they took a taxicab to the depot, "Did Bravot furnish you with travel authority?"

"Last I heard it was all fixed up. All we have to do is show up at the gangplank and say, 'Passage for Amsterdam, Stateroom twelve.'"

The Austrian turned suddenly to Benning with suspicion glinting in his eyes. "Say, Bromlitz, are you asking for information, or just feeling me out?"

"Isn't it natural, Fincke," Benning retorted, "for me to satisfy myself you're really got authority to go along? I hope you're not going to spoil everything by getting suspicious of me."

"No, but after the deal I got from Boggio, you can't blame me for wondering if I'm the goat," Fincke muttered. "Sorry if I rubbed you the wrong way."

Fincke's fears relaxed somewhat when he and Benning reached New York in early afternoon.

They went to Central Park and walked about deserted paths until time to go to the pier. Promptly at four Fincke presented himself to a hulking Norwegian first mate who stood at the gangplank of the tramp freighter, a single-funnel steamer.

The Fincke formula put them on board without question. Benning noted, as they were escorted by a cabin boy to their stateroom, that the decks were deserted, no preparations to sail were in evidence.

Fincke promptly slammed the door, peeled off his cotton coat, and sprawled on a bunk.

Benning threw off his coat, lay down on his berth, and took up the late New York editions he had bought before coming aboard. Later he meant to force the issue of a reconnaissance of the ship in preparation for the Navy's boarding party.

Headlines screamed the defeat of Mole's Second Division, the capture of San Antonio.

Mole's truck columns had sped his broken infantry and artillery to a new position near Austin along the Colorado River. There he was organizing a new defensive position, reinforced by Texas regiments. Van Hassek's columns were moving on Austin for prompt attack.

Van Hassek had taken over San Antonio at daylight and established headquarters in the City Hall at the old Spanish Plaza. A subordinate, General Alvarez, had taken over the government as military governor under a decree of martial law, hauled down the American flag and hoisted the saffron flag over the city.

Alvarez caused all of Texas under his decree. A Van Hassek truck column was now on its way to occupy that state. Houston. Air raids had been made north last night. Fort Worth, Dallas, and Shreveport had been heavily pound-

ed with the loss of hundreds of lives. Terror was sweeping other southern cities. Little Rock, Oklahoma City, Montgomery, Birmingham, even Nashville and Atlanta were within bombing range. There was no anti-aircraft now available for these cities. Thousands were fleeing into the hills and countryside.

When he had sketched through the day's news, Benning sat up and made a call at Fincke.

"What gets me," he complained, "is why we have to go all the way to Amsterdam when there's so much going on in these parts, Fincke."

Fincke snapped erect, his eyes blazing suspicion, and snarled, "You know damned well we're not going to Amsterdam, Bromlitz! What's your game—always feeling me out?"

Benning coolly drawled, "Evidently you suspect I'm a spotter for Boggio or Bravot. If that's in your mind, I resent it."

"Sorry if I blew up again," Fincke relented. "But we're playing for big game this time, Bromlitz, and you can't blame me for being touchy after what happened before."

A Norwegian deckhand brought dinner into their stateroom at six o'clock. Two empty hours followed. At eight o'clock the engines began churning, the Norwegian tramp eased out of her berth and headed down the harbor.

Fincke brightened as the ship cast off, then was attacked by a restlessness that set him pacing the little cabin.

Dusk slowly deepened into night. Benning knew that the ship was spotted by Navy observers, that they would take no chance of letting her slip out of the harbor. He chafed under his inability to break further into the Fincke confidence or to effect a survey of the ship's passengers.

The Austrian suddenly seized his cotton coat and straw hat.

"All right, Bromlitz!" he exclaimed excitedly. "It's nine o'clock and pitch dark. Here's where we move out!"

Benning followed the Austrian down the unlighted deck. There was a black huddle of figures at the rail where Fincke halted. Benning's straining eyes, now adjusted to the darkness, made out that the figures were moving over the side.

In a moment Fincke vanished. Benning hesitated, then groped his way down the Jacob's ladder. At the bottom a gasoline launch chugged tenaciously alongside in choppy water. As Benning, following the others, stepped precariously aboard, the launch cast off.

In the vague light shed by a lantern in the bow of the launch, Benning slowly counted noses. There were five passengers, two boatmen. Benning saw that the man beside whom he had found a seat was not Fincke. An intuition warned him, his eyes verified the warning as he traced out the man's profile. The passenger at his elbow was Bravot.

Van Hassek's fugitive spy master silently stared into the wet night. Benning's hand sought the pocket of his cotton coat and released the safety lock of his automatic.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Frank Osgood who was sick last week is some better this week.

Lawrence Kimball spent several days at home working on his farm.

Dorothy Edwards went home Thursday afternoon to attend her sister's graduation, returning Sunday.

Robert Sanbor is having his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard took a trip to the coast as far as Bath Saturday, returning Sunday.

Ronald Stevens and family and Mrs. Baker were in Auburn and Portland Saturday afternoon and Sunday. Mrs. Baker stayed in Auburn.

Albert Buck was in Norway over the week end attending the scout meeting.

Sam Badger is sick and staying at Jorgen Olson's for a few days.

Walter Balentine has bought the big bus of Leslie Davis, and is going to fix it up to live in and also to travel in when he goes away.

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Class of 1941

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Class Prophecy, Bernice Evans
Essay, Colonial Schools,

Barbara Coffin
Piano Solo, Elsie Redman
Class Will, Lois Davis

Undergraduate Address, Some Folks I Know, Kenneth Swan
Presentation of Class Gift, Maurice Morgan

Acceptance of Class Gift, Dexter Stowell
Class Gifts, Constance Barnett and Elmer York

Valedictory, China Dolls, Olive Howe
Presentation of Diplomas, Superintendent Harold Bailey

Benediction, Rev. James MacKillop
Commencement Exercises of Woodstock High School June 8th to 12th, 1941.

Sunday
Baccalaureate Sermon 10.30 by Rev. James MacKillop

Tuesday
June 10th—Graduation Exercises at 8 o'clock at the Gymnasium

Wednesday
June 11th—Baseball game at 5.30, High School vs. Alumni at V. I. S. Field.

Thursday
June 12th—Alumni Banquet at 6.30 and Alumni Ball at Birch Villa Inn.

The grade schools closed last week.

The Boy Scouts of Bryant Pond attended the Scout Camporee held on the Fair Grounds last week where over three thousand Boy Scouts gathered with their Scout leaders and all had a fine time.

Monday night June 9th the Bryant Pond fire department were called to Hanover to fight fire.

FRANKLIN GRANGE
BRYANT POND

Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond met Saturday night June 7th and there was a good attendance. After the regular meeting the Juvenile Grange conferred the Juvenile degree on twelve members of the Subordinate Grange in a very pleasing manner. Roy Smith is Master and Everett Davis Patron of the Juvenile Grange.

A social was held after the meeting.

SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Grindle, Mrs. Ethel Child and Mrs. Florence Brown and Mrs. Dorothy Saunders spent Sunday at the C. Bar C. Ranch at North Windham, Maine.

Eugene Brown visited at Mrs. Sadye Robertson's, Bethel, Sunday and also attended a birthday party in honor of Denis Winslow at their cottage at Songo Lake.

Little Jerrie Brown visited with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, East Bethel, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mason of Locke Mills were callers at Hollis Grindle's Saturday evening.

Mrs. Dorothy Saunders of Bethel spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. H. N. Grindle.

Mrs. Ethel Child called on Mrs. Alice Clough one day last week.

A. B. Kimball and George Burris were in Berlin, N. H. Friday, and were guests of Mrs. Viola Hooke for lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard took a trip to the coast as far as Bath Saturday, returning Sunday.

Ronald Stevens and family and Mrs. Baker were in Auburn and Portland Saturday afternoon and Sunday. Mrs. Baker stayed in Auburn.

Albert Buck was in Norway over the week end attending the scout meeting.

Sam Badger is sick and staying at Jorgen Olson's for a few days.

Walter Balentine has bought the big bus of Leslie Davis, and is going to fix it up to live in and also to travel in when he goes away.

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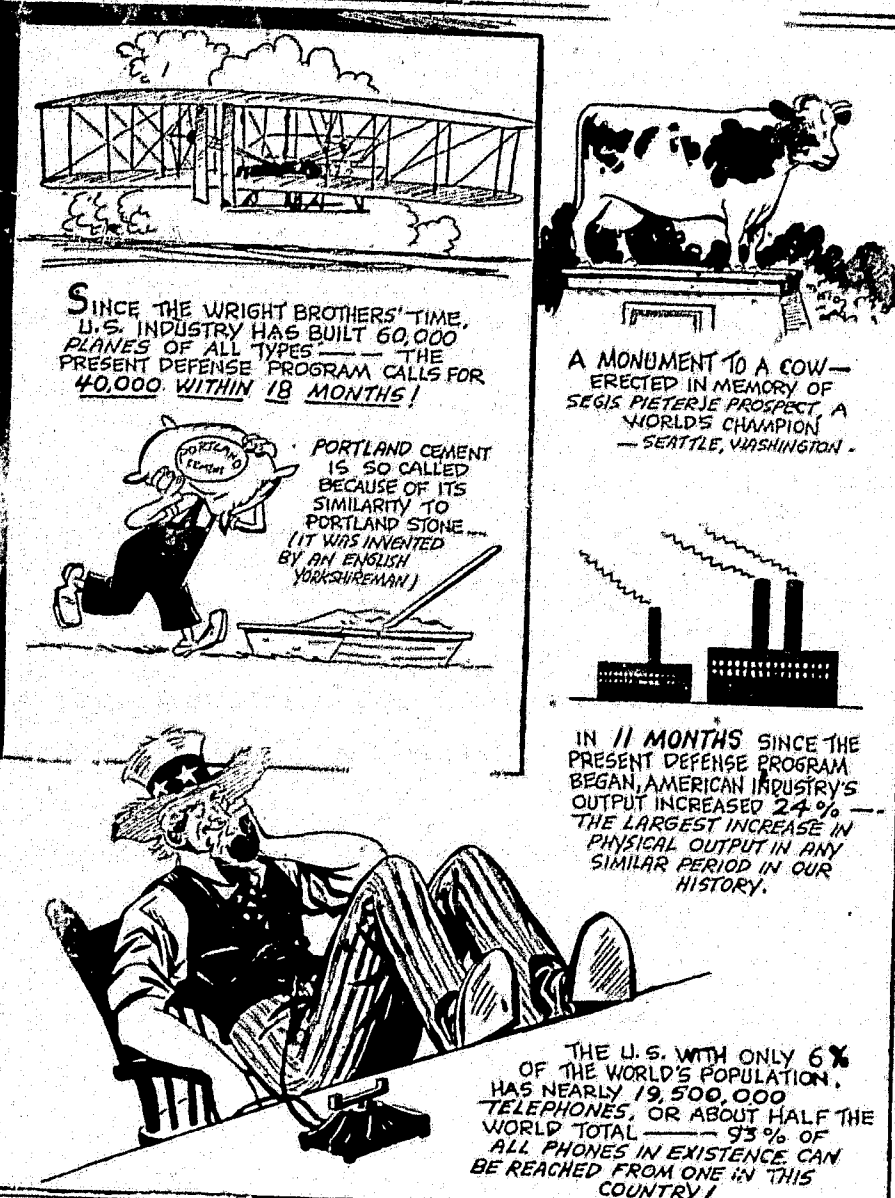
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WEST BETHEL

Graduation Exercises

West Bethel graduation exercises were held in the Grange Hall Wednesday evening with the following program:

Invocation, Rev. H. T. Wallace
Greeting, Adeline Stetson
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Play, "Patriotism at Boggesville"

Characters:
George, Frederick Kneeland
Tom, Albert Smith
Henry Perkins, Robert Davis
Minnie, Barbara McKenzie
Alice, Colleen Bennett
Mary, Ruth McInnis
Anna, Lois McInnis
Mr. Wigglesworth, Maurice Kendall

Hi Bartlett, O'Neill Saunders
Pat McGinnis, Lloyd Lowell
Aunt Polly Fletcher, Adaline Stetson

Percy, Carroll Fitzgerald
Announcer, Zane Tibbets
Solo Tap Dances, Mary Kneeland, Patricia Rolfe, Janice Lord

Program at Flag Raising:
Song, "Give the Stars and Stripes a Permanent Wave," School
Choral Reading, "America for Me," Six boys

Song, "You're on the Right Side of the Ocean," School
Flag Exercise, Third Grade
Song, "Stay Where You Are," School

Song, "Let Freedom Ring," School
Song, "I'm Livin' and I'm Lovin'," Four Boys
Song, "God Bless America," School

All Farwell, Barbara McKenzie
Awarding Prizes and Presentation of Diplomas

Supt. Carrie M. Wight
Benediction, Rev. Wallace

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Annis of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Humphreys of Elizabeth, N. J., are guests of their sister, Mrs. Hollis Hutchinson, and family.

Miss Lillian Lovejoy is ill and unable to attend to her duties at Mrs. Eva Burris'.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland, son Frederick, daughter Mary, and Mrs. Clarence Rolfe were in Berlin Tuesday.

Roland Kneeland attended the graduation exercises at the University of Maine, over the weekend, as guest of O'Neill Robertson who was one of the graduates.

Albert Smith returned to New York City this week, after a vacation spent at Birchmont Farm.

Joyce Abbott, Mary Jodrey, Robert Perry, Robert Morrill, Howard Grover and Richard Peabody are the members of the class of 1941 at Gould Academy from this locality who will receive diplomas next Monday at Commencement.

Albert Bennett and family attended the Baccalaureate Services at Gorham, N. H., last Sunday evening. Mrs. Bennett's niece, Miss Helen Hayes is a member of the graduating class at Gorham High School.

Mrs. Gordon Lathrop and children of Madison spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burris. Little Miss Jacqueline will remain to spend the summer with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy spent Sunday in Norway.

UPTON

School closed Friday for the summer vacation. Miss Eldora Lidback returned to her home at Gorham and Aubrey Flanders returned to his home at Sangerville.

Miss Viola Barnett is home from Stephens High School for the summer.

Misses Doris Williamson and Sylvia Barnett have completed their work at Dixfield.

Rev. and Mrs. John Manter and family of Standish were callers in town Tuesday.

Misses Isabelle and Bessie Casey are visiting relatives in Rumford.

The annual meeting of the Oxford Association of Congregational Churches was held here Tuesday with a large attendance. Dinner was served by the Upton Ladies' Aid.

Albert Jenkins is home this week from the U. of M., where his graduation took place Monday.

Mrs. Bertha Jenkins has gone to Norway for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Colon Fuller have moved to Roxbury. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown to Bath. Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Richards to Newry and Mr. and Mrs. Peter LeMay to Andover.

Fred Coleord of Exeter, N. H. was at his camp over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Richards of Bath were callers in town Sunday. A Grange meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Bertha Jenkins Monday night.

Allan Fuller is home for a vacation from Hanover.

Pvt. Willard Wight has gone to South Carolina, where he will be for 13 weeks.

Serious damage was averted when neighbors helped put out a chimney fire at Warrington Bartlett's Tuesday afternoon.

GREENWOOD TUBBS DISTRICT

Mrs. Glenwood Yates and baby Mrs. Lena Kangas and children called on Mrs. Toivo Maki and Mrs. Milton Jierce Sunday.

Hope Ring spent a few days last week with Bessie Ring.

Mrs. Helen Olson and baby spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Eino Kangas before returning to her home in Newry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kalle Lilmatti and daughter Olga were Tuesday evening callers at Eino Kangas'. Mr. and Mrs. Will Yates called there Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ernest Goodwin and baby and Lyli Jacobson of South Paris spent part of last week with their mother, Mrs. Jennie Jacobson.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum and family of Bryant Pond spent Saturday evening with Bessie Ring.

Mrs. Montie Millett and daughter, are spending two weeks in Portland with her sister, Mrs. Rose Varney.

Richard Kangas was ill last week but is a little better.

Siraka Saarinen spent the weekend at her home in Greenwood City.

Little William Kuvaja, son of Mr. and Mrs. Waino Kuvaja, has returned from the Rumford Community Hospital.

Eino Kangas, Mrs. Kasper Pulkkinen and Mr. and Mrs. Glenwood Yates and baby were in Harrison Sunday to see Mrs. John Carlson, who is very ill.

"Science can give mankind a better standard of living, better health and a better mental life, if mankind in turn gives science the sympathy and support so essential to its progress."—Vannevar Bush, President, Carnegie Institution.

THIS BUSINESS OF Living

BY SUSAN THAYER



Our Spirit of Cooperation

We all want to have a share in helping to make America strong. We know the brunt of the burden must fall on Industry which is turning out planes and ships and guns and tanks and ammunition. But we women...we housekeeping women who have no active part in Industry want to do something too. Each time the paper comes, each time we turn on the radio and hear more of the things that make us realize it is vital that America becomes invincible, we think again about our part in this great defense effort. Being women, one of the things we naturally think of is conserving.

A number of women have asked me about saving tin cans and aluminum pots and pans which might be collected and used in the manufacture of defense materials. The spirit behind such an offer of cooperation is splendid. It's the kind of spirit needed in this country today if we are to be united, as we must be, in the face of danger. But so far there is no need for this program of saving. Of course there may be fewer new utensils of certain types for some time to come and substitutes may be employed in the making of various household articles such as refrigerators and vacuum cleaners and thermometers.

Manufacturers are working on a substitute for tin cans. But there is no indication so far that the aluminum or tin we could save at home would make enough difference to defense production to be worth the effort of collection. For instance it would take 60,000 percolators to furnish enough aluminum for just one bomber!

But let's keep that spirit of cooperation alive. There's the real contribution that we women can make in these days of intense activity, as our husbands and sons become in a sense, swallowed up in the huge magnitude of our total national effort. After a while they may not be able to "see the woods for the tree." Then as Mr. W. L. Batt of the Office of Production Management says, "It's not for you the women of America to keep a living issue in the home to make of each uncertainty, each dislocation which reaches into the life of the family, not an annoyance but rather a tangible symbol of participation in the common and worthwhile effort of our country?"

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Many who wouldn't touch a nickel that belonged to someone else flaunt all law and order when behind a steering wheel, with the callousness of experienced criminals.

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ALBANY TOWN HOUSE and Vicinity

Harlan Bumpus, Ray Lapham, Clifton Pinkham and Eric Stowe Ray Andrews, Warren Lapham, attended the Fire Training School at Gilead Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skeele of Massachusetts called on Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews Sunday.

Henry Merrill and his "13 Class" from Portland will hold their annual meeting at the Church Sunday, June 15th.

Miss Shirley Andrews spent the week-end with Miss Alberta McAlister at Bethel.

Arthur Haselton was in Norway Tuesday.

L. J. Andrews recently called on Eben Barker at North Waterford.

Ray Lapham did some farming for Harlan Bumpus one day last week.

NEWRY CORNER

School in the North-Newry district closed last week with graduation exercises held at the church Friday night attended by a large crowd. Miss Varner, the teacher, went to her home in Auburn Saturday after a three year period of very successful teaching in this town.

Mrs. Lula Chase has employment at Bear River T House.

There will be a Farm Bureau meeting at the Appalachian House Friday evening, June 13, on The Low Cost of Home Improvements. Mrs. Ada Brooks and Mr. Blanchard will be the leaders in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Chapman went on a fishing trip over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Livingstone and Mrs. Feindel of Berlin were in town recently.

Dr. and Mrs. Percy Bartlett of Hanover, N. H. were overnight guests at Bear River Cabins on their way to and from their camp at Molasses Pond.

Friends of Mrs. Eya Ripley of Wentworth Location are pleased to hear she has returned from the Community Hospital much improved in health.

Mrs. Vaughn Vall was home from Boscobuck Camps, Wilson Mills, to attend the graduation of her daughter, Elaine, from the grade school. Six new members joined Bear River Grange at the regular meeting Saturday night.

Elizabeth Ball is working for Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Corey and great-grandson from Plattsburg, N. Y. were callers at Edward Warren's recently.

Several members of Bear River Grange attended Pomona at Upton last week.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Commencement exercises for Union School were held at the school house Wednesday evening, June 4. Program: Song, State of Maine, Grades III and VIII.

Special music: Annie Davis, Processional, A. J. Verrill, Prayer, A. J. Verrill, Play, A Call to Youth, School Our Dreams, Minabelle Strout, Class Sketches and Gifts, Leslie Thurlow.

The Royal Road, Christina Buck, Class Ode, A. J. Verrill, Benediction, A. J. Verrill, Class Motto, Rowing not Drifting, Class Colors, Red, White and Blue, Class Flower, Bridal Wreath.

Mrs. Angie Robbins visited at Mechanic Falls from Thursday until Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Stanley Andrews and children are spending this week with her brother and his wife at Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Littlehale visited their daughter and family at Bath Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Silver is quite ill with the mumps.

The Willing Workers will meet Wednesday afternoon to make plans for the annual picnic.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, June 15th

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister 9:30 a. m. Sunday School. A full attendance is expected as next Sunday, June 22nd, will be Children's Day and there will be rehearsals to be arranged.

This being Baccalaureate Sunday we follow our usual practice and omit our morning service.

2:30 p. m. Gould Academy Commencement Exercises. The Baccalaureate Service in the Church. The Minister will give the address. All are invited to be present.

7:00 p. m. John E. Fay, Organist of Portland, will give an hour's recital upon the new Hammond Organ to which the Academy students and their guests and all friends in the Village are invited.

METHODIST CHURCH

M. A. Gordon, pastor

9:45 Church School. Mrs. Leona Swan, supt. Classes for all Bible study.

11:00 Sunday Morning Worship. Father's Day. Special singing by Chorus Choir. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist. Subject of sermon, "The Life of Father."

6:30 Epworth League (Look Up Life Up).

7:30 Evening Service. Hymns, Poems, Favorite Verses. Bible reading, St. John Gospel. Subject, "Biblical Interpretation."

Woman's Society of Christian Service meets Thursday at the Church.

Men's Brotherhood meets at Fritz Tyler's cottage, Songo Lake, Monday, June 30th. Picnic supper.

For we can do nothing against the truth, but for the truth. 2 Cor. 13: 8.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Services Sunday morning at 10:45.

"God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, June 15.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHAPEL

Don Fife, Minister

Tribute will be paid to the "faith of our fathers" and to those "adventuring young people" who are this year graduating from our schools, by those attending the morning and evening services at the West Bethel Union Chapel on Sunday, June 15th.

In keeping with the theme of Father's Day, the topic for the morning service will be: "Our Dads." Meeting from this Sunday on through the summer at the 7:30 hour, the theme for the evening message will be: "Commencement: Of What?" Fathers are urged to join us in our morning worship, especially on this, their day. Too, all of the family

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will be welcomed as we gather in God's house in the evening to extend the hand of the Church to those who have added another achievement in their life's growth—our "graduates." The Children's Sunday School will meet at 10 o'clock, preceding the morning worship period. Bring your children to Sunday School, and join us at the Church service at 11 o'clock.

BIRTHS

In East Bethel, June 4, to the wife of Laurence Crockett, a daughter.

In Rumford, June 8, to the wife of Joseph I. Penley of West Paris, a daughter, Elaine Elnora.

MARRIAGES

In Norway, June 7, by Rev. Warren Palmer, Edwin R. Knight of Rumford Point and Miss Christie Thurston of Bethel.

In West Paris, June 8, by Rev. Harold A. Libby, Arthur Ronello Cummings and Miss Doris Lorraine Libby.

\$81,937 IN BACK WAGES PAID

MAINE WORKERS THIS YEAR

Maine workers have received payments of back wages amounting to \$81,937 from Jan. 1 to June 1 as a result of enforcement of the Federal Wage and Hour law in this state, it was announced today by William P. Shannon, senior inspector, who is in charge of the Division at Portland. Since the Act became effective Oct. 24, 1938, back wages to the total of \$284,913 have been paid to Maine workers. This back wage represents the difference between what the workers were actually paid and what was due them under the minimum wage and overtime compensation provisions of the Act.

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